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Conmen dupe two women of Rs. 6 lakh

Mysuru, May 25 (RK&BCT)- Despite several warnings by the City Police not to fall prey to dubious telephone calls and emails that promise gifts, two women lost about Rs. 6 lakh to fraudsters. While one woman was promised a courier that contained gold and cash, the other woman was assured of a plum job for her son abroad. Both the cases have been reported from Vidyaranyapuram.

In the first case, Nagalakshmi, a resident of Vidyaranyapuram, lost Rs. 46,095 after she deposited the money in a particular bank account. In her complaint lodged yesterday, Nagalakshmi stated that on May 22, she received a call from a lady who claimed to be working for "overnight courier company".

Nagalakshmi stated that the woman caller told her that she (Nagalakshmi) had received a parcel — that had valuables — through her courier company and to get the courier released, Rs. 46,095 had to be deposited to SBI account number 36047557109.

An unsuspecting Nagalakshmi, believing that somebody had sent a 'valuable courier', rushed to Axis Bank on Vishvamanava Double Road at Kuvempunagar on the same day (May 22) and deposited the said amount to the account number.

Soon after the money was deposited, Nagalakshmi received another call and the caller at the other end told her that the parcel contained gold items and a cash of 50,000 pounds. "The caller then told me that if I had to obtain the parcel, I had to deposit Rs. 2,55,000 to the same SBI account," Nagalakshmi stated in her complaint.

Nagalakshmi told the Police that when she tried to call the number back, the phone was switched off. She told the cops that only when she found the phone switched off did she realise that she had been conned.

In another incident, S. Ashalatha, a resident of Vidyaranyapuram lodged a complaint with the Police yesterday (May 24) that she had paid Rs. 5,50,000 to an agent who worked for a recruitment company. The agent had promised a plum job in a multi-national company to her son.

Ashalatha told the Police that her son S. Yashas was a BE graduate. "One person who claimed to be representing a recruitment agency promised a high-paying job for my son abroad. We had paid Rs. 5,50,000 at different stages and the person was communicating with us through e-mail only," the woman has stated in her complaint.

Registering both the complaints, Vidyaranyapuram Inspector Raghu has started the investigation. Call records are being examined and the banks will be asked to furnish the details of accounts.

The probe will now likely be handed over to Cyber Cell that is located atop the Jayalakshmipuram Police Station.

Mysuru Court blast

NIA files charge-sheet against three persons

Bengaluru / Mysuru, May 25- The National Investigation Agency (NIA) yesterday filed a charge-sheet against three persons for the blasts that took place at the Mysuru Court Complex in August 2016.

The explosion rocked the Mysuru District Court on Aug. 1 last year and the impact smashed the glass windows and doors of a toilet complex located behind the court on that day at 4.30 pm. No one was injured in the incident.

The NIA on Nov. 27, 2016, had arrested three persons, associated with the Base Movement, a terrorist outfit inspired by Al Qaeda, for allegedly carrying out explosions at five judicial courts at Chittoor, Kollam, Mysuru, Nellore and Malappuram.

The arrested were 27-year-old Nainar Abbas Ali, 23-year-old Dawood Suleiman and 27-year-old Samsum Karim Raja. Abbas Ali, who had created the Base Movement, is the kingpin.

(See CHARGE-SHEET on page 9)

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Mysuru, Thursday 25th May 2017

Power-driven playtime

In an unwitting betrayal of their mindset, aspirants for votes of the land's ever gullible masses are openly talking of *capturing* power and adorning authoritative posts in the government. Next comes the lobbying for plum portfolios promising avenues for syphoning off public funds in the name of taking up projects under broad banner of *development*. Splurging money begins with holding ostentatious functions, first to launch the programmes and then to lay the glitzy foundation stones, only for the sake of photo shoot and wide publicity with the media readily obliging, as always, to project the images of chief guests, guests of honour and the coterie of sundries with dreams of making it big in the party first and government soon afterwards.

Physicists have coined the term *horsepower*, setting different standards and types. For lay people's sake, they have explained it as the power that a horse possesses for pulling and the connect between the animal and physicists ends there. The term, when applied to the functionaries in the government, in all its three wings namely, Legislature, Executive and Judiciary, has been bestowed by the knowledgeable in management and administration a great deal of attention, making it fascinating to read about.

The nation's Constitution lays down the rules of the *power game* as it were, which the functionaries are obliged to adhere and practise while holding their respective offices with a well-defined framework of *authority*. If *all of these* functionaries, particularly the elected representatives of people with their restricted term of holding office, adhered and practiced the rules of the power game, all would be well with the nation. Given the present scenario of the people's elected representatives overriding the executive, read bureaucrats, and to some extent over-reaching the jurisdiction of the land's judiciary, the power game has only one winner and everyone knows, or should know, who that winner is. That game goes by the name *politics*, bestowing unbridled power to the players, with the masses content to remain mute witnesses and hapless victims.

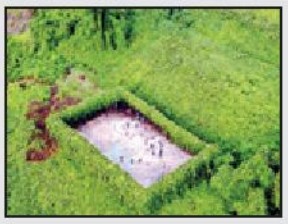
Analysts of public affairs should tell us about the elected representatives crossing the *Lakshman Rekha* drawn in the country's Constitution. Do the familiar-to-all features such as *a)* Z-class security at exorbitant costs, *b)* Take-home *wages* (!) in astronomical proportions, *c)* VVIP status with associated privileges and so on have Constitutional sanction? It is simply a season of merriment for the players in the power-driven playtime.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

COMPETITIVE' JAMMING SESSION: *A former official with a regulatory body wanted to call one of his former colleagues. He was unable to get his calls through. Sometimes he even got the message, "the number does not exist." Intrigued, the official sent his messenger to the residence of his former colleague to find out. It turned out that the second official continued to use the same number, but he complained that his telecom operator had been blocking all calls originating from a particular competitor. "They have been using some kind of jammer to block one another. A strange game is going on," said the first official.* — *In Business Standard.*

NEWS SPARKLERS

Amazing five-a-side football field



Kuala Lumpur: This photo of a five-a-side football field surrounded by lush greenery in the jungle of Sabah, Malaysia, has been doing the rounds on the internet for the last few days. And for good reason, as it looks like a place that can only exist in someone's fantasy.

The picture was captured by a teacher at the Longongon National School, in Nabawan, Malaysia, using a Mavic Pro drone. It shows the unreal-looking pitch located on a greenery-covered hillside, with thick vines seemingly encroaching on the playing field. Allowing the thick layer of living plants to completely take over the fencing around the pitch was apparently by design, as this helps cool the players during hot summer days and provides much-needed fresh air. While children from the school can reach the fantasy football field in just 15 minutes. That's probably for the best, as a wondrous place like this would be overrun by tourists.

Mall's Digital adverts have eyes

Oslo: A pizzeria in Oslo, Norway, the monitoring system was accidentally revealed at the beginning of May, when the system crashed and software code was displayed on screen instead of the usual ads. A closer look revealed a small camera concealed in the wooden frame of the advert, and after watching the screen for a few minutes, Nepturion realised that the messages generated by the computer were describing him, and changed every time a different person passed by. Jørn Olsen, Marketing & Communications Manager at a local TV, says the company that developed the controversial advertising system, explained how it works. If a person looks at the advertising display, the concealed camera analyses their face and the software then displays a targeted advert based on various factors and how long you look at the banner. Olsen says that the system is similar to how internet advertising companies use demographic statistics to serve certain ads, and that it is perfectly legal, in fact they are doing a generic demographic segmentation.

HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

How should I dispose of unused medications?

Mix your meds with used coffee grounds, dirt or kitty litter. Place the mix into a bag and seal tightly, then dispose in the trash. Never flush unused meds down the toilet. They may end up in the water supply.

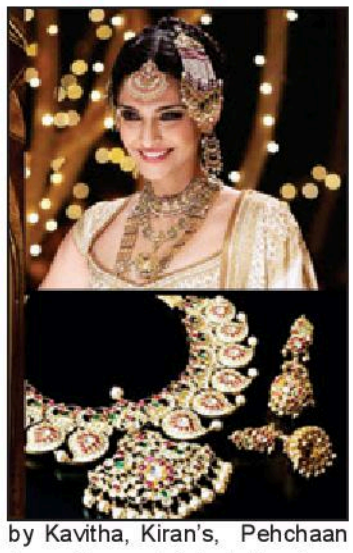
** Health Capsules is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature.*

Panache's Jashn in city on May 27, 28

Panache will unveil its line-up of designers for this festive season at *Panache's Jashn*. The luxury multi-designer exhibition will be held at *The Quorum Hotel* on Vinoba Road in city on May 27 and 28 from 10.30 am to 8.30 pm.

This season features **Aarti Vijay**, The Lakme Fashion Week Designer, with her luxury fashion brand; **Nidhi** from Golden Weaves with her collection of a mélange of class and flamboyance; **Rimpy** from Vinayak Kolkata with elegant Indian garments that spell feminity; **Singh & Kaur** with a stunning line-up.

The label Splash, known for their signature vibrant prints, which are all developed in-house. **Reena's Creations** from Reins Indore; Sarees by Classy Needle; Latest flirty festive collection by **Simran** from Mumbai & Kimisha from Chandigarh; Flared skirts of U&ME from Ludhiana; Heavy embellishments on bright colours with touches of floral detailing will be the collections



by Kavitha, Kiran's, Pehchaan from Chennai & Labellaz from Mumbai.

Apart from the above, jewellery collections from Amrapali, Fuschia & Pinky's Jaipur will add glitter to the expo. Amrapali Jewels will showcase stunning and never-seen-before jewels, The Bahubali collection. Pooja from Simran collections will have a new line of accessories.

Organisers Nishat Mohsin and Misba Umrean can be contacted on Mob: 98453-69136.

Really...?

- *The swan has over 25,000 feathers in its body.*
- *Giraffes have no vocal cords and their tongues are blue-black in colour.*
- *The world's smallest dog was a Yorkshire Terrier, which weighed just four ounces.*
- *Cows can sleep standing up, but they can only dream lying down.*
- *Washoe, the chimpanzee, was the first non-human to learn American Sign Language. She also passed on her knowledge to other chimpanzees.*
- *Alligators can live up to 100 years*

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1 US Dollar	= Rs. 64.83
1 UK Pound	= Rs.84.08
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 17.65
1 Euro	= Rs. 72.48

VOICE OF THE READER

Janasnehi: Why are Police
asking questions on caste status?

Sir,

The Mysuru Police have launched *'Janasnehi,'* a people-friendly initiative, which is most welcome. In keeping with the initiative, the Police personnel are visiting door-to-door to create awareness among the people on the new initiative.

But what is disappointing to note is that there are many instances where the Police visiting households have sought details like the caste status of the inmates, which has irked many citizens.

The Police Department, which is supposed to maintain Law and Order irrespective of caste, creed, community or religion seems to have embarrassed citizens by asking about their caste while collecting details like House No., Owner's name etc., though the initiative is named *'Janasnehi.'*

I was left wondering why the people-friendly cops are asking such discriminatory questions. I request the Police Department to henceforth refrain from asking such details during the *'Janasnehi'* drive.

— C. S. Mangalamma
Brindavan Extension
23.5.2017

Insurance and Fitness
Certificate for vehicles

Sir,

As per the Motor Vehicles Act, it is mandatory for all the running motor vehicles to obtain Fitness Certificate (FC) from the RTO, for the safety of the passengers. If this statutory requirement laid down in the Motor Vehicles Act is violated, the insurance companies can deny the claims.

Though MV Act stipulates that FC is mandatory for renewal of insurance policy after 15 years, many of the insurance companies – especially the private players in the field deliberately and conveniently overlook this Act and issue insurance policy even without the FC. May be a ploy by these companies to deny and avoid paying claims.

Many of the Government insurance companies intimate their clients about FC when the vehicle is due for insurance after 14 years. Since the entire data of the vehicle is available with the insurance company, they should inform their clients when the vehicle is 14-years-old about FC and should insist for FC, when the policy is renewed after 14th year. If no FC is produced, the insurance of the vehicle should not be renewed.

— K. Chandrahas
Mysuru
24.5.2017

Mushrooming of road-side
eateries on Krishna Vilas Road

Sir,

Krishna Vilas Road has been declared as non-hawking zone and as a result all road-side eateries were evicted from the street some time back. Now many eateries have mushroomed around Khadri Shamanna Circle in the area. Some shops, besides occupying the footpath, keep their wares on the road, causing inconvenience to the pedestrians.

The area is mostly residential, with several educational institutions too. The situation becomes very risky during the evening hours more so during weekends. Earlier also it was brought to the notice of the officials concerned but of no avail.

The Traffic Police are busy catching helmet-less drivers rather than clearing these encroachments. Hope at least now the officials will act and clear the encroachment for the benefit of the tax-paying citizens.

—M. D. Krishna
Krishna Vilas road
21.5.2017

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Yakshagana
Puppet Show

Mysuru, May 25- The 300-year-old traditional puppet show *(episode: Sathya Harishchandra)* will be played at Hallare village, Nanjangud taluk on May 26 from 9 pm at Sri Guru Malleshwara Dasoha Mutt.

This art being ancient form of present *Moodalapaya Yakshagana*, it is preserved and kept alive by Bhagavath Thamannachar, Shivabudhi and other professional artistes.

One can reach Hallare (40 kms) through H.D. Kote road-Udbur (10 kms) - Doora-Hullahalli-Madapura-Hallare; From Nanjangud-Hullahalli-Madapura-Hallare, according to a press release from Ananthavardhana (Mob: 94492-64920).

Training on GST implementation

Mysuru, May 25- To ensure efficient and effective implementation of Goods and Services Tax (GST) from July 1, the Department of Central Excise, Customs and Service Tax has been conducting a series of training workshops for officers.

The first refresher training was held on May 22 and 23 and training for the second batch will be held on May 31 and June 1. Nearly 150 officers and staff from the Executive Commissionerate, Audit Commissionerate, Appeals Unit and Chief Commissioner's office participated in the training.

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Two-day IT Talent Hunt

Mysuru, May 25- Raman International Institute of Information Technology (RiiiT) has organised IT Talent Hunt-2017, on May 26 and 27, at their campus in Hebbal Industrial area here. It is open to 2016 and 2017 batch engineering students with 55% aggregate from circuit branches.

RiiiT in association with 10 companies and G20 Consortium, an association of 20 Engineering colleges, has explored employment opportunities in various top Companies. The Drive is only for registered candidates. Interested can register on Mob: 9620208427/26/33 or e-mail: *info@riiit.com,* according to a press release.

Meeting on Kannada implementation

Mysuru, May 25- A meeting will be held on May 26 to take stock of Kannada implementation at government offices and to assess the plight of employees at CFTRI. The meeting will be held at Kalamandira at 11 am. Writer Prof. K.S. Bhagawan will inaugurate. Prof. Maheshchandraguru and Dalit leader K.S. Shivaramu will pay floral tributes to the portraits of social reformers. District Kannada Sahitya Parishat President Y.D. Rajanna and former President Maddikere Gopal will be the chief guests.

Power disruption tomorrow

Mysuru, May 25- Owing to emergency maintenance work, power supply will be disrupted tomorrow in the following areas from 10 am to 4 pm: Ramavilas Road, Lakshmi Vilas Road, Devaraja Urs Road, Narayana Shastry Road, Shivarampet, behind MCC, JLB Road, Ramaswamy Circle and surrounding areas. **From 10 am to 6 pm:** Nadanahalli, Vasanthanagar, Prakriti Layout and surrounding areas.

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(ಟೆಂಡರ್–ಕಂ–ಬಹಿರಂಗ ಹರಾಜು ತಿಳುವಳಿಕೆ)

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NEWS BRIEFS

Specially-abled grievances meeting

A meeting has been organised at Zilla Panchayat auditorium tomorrow (May 26) at 10.30 am to hear the grievances of specially-abled. DC D. Randeep will preside over the meeting.

Last date extended

D. Devaraj Urs Backward Classes Development Corporation has extended the last date for submitting applications for the students scholarship under the Arivu scheme. Interested may submit the applications by June 9. For details, visit website: www.karnataka.gov.in/dbcdc

Pratibha Puraskar

Mysore College of Engineering and Management (MyCEM), in association with Jnanavaahini Shikshana Samsthe, has invited applications from meritorious students who have passed 2nd PUC (Science) to present 'Pratibha Puraskar.' Eligible students may send the application along with photocopy of markscard and a photograph to the Principal, MyCEM, #1072, T. Narsipura Road, near Big Banyan Tree, Chikkhalli, Mysuru-570028. [Mob: 91080-12040 / 50]

Scholarship

The Department of Social Welfare has revised the family annual income limit from Rs. 2 lakh to Rs. 6 lakh for the SC/ST students to avail pre-metric scholarship from Class 1 to 8. The Day-scholar pre-metric scholarship has also been revised to 1 std. to 5th std. from Rs. 750 to Rs. 1,000 (boys) and Rs. 850 to Rs. 1,100 (girls); Rs. 900 to Rs. 1,150 (boys) and Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 1,250 (girls) studying in Class 6 and Class 7; Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 1,250 (boys) and Rs. 1,100 to Rs. 1,350 (girls) studying in Class 8. For details, contact Ph: 0821-2520910.

Kaushalya Karnataka

The registration process for Kaushalya Karnataka Skill Development programme by the District Employment Exchange Office for unemployed youth in the age group of 18-35 years is being undertaken at the office of the Assistant Director, District Employment Exchange Office in the Government ITI premises in N.R. Mohalla. For details, contact Assistant Director C. Vishwanath Bharani on Ph: 0821-2489972.

Nominated

State and National Youth Award recipient S.D. Omkar Jain has been nominated as the Electricity Consumers Advisory Committee Member of the H.D. Kote unit of Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation (CESC) by the Energy Minister D.K. Shivakumar.

MEKEDATU HYDRO-ELECTRIC PROJECT

DPR to be ready by June first week: Minister

M.B. Patil

Bengaluru, May 25 (KMS& BCT)- The Detailed Project Report (DPR) for the implementation of Mekedatu drinking water project will be readied by June first week. It will be sent to the Central Water Commission and Ministry of Environment and Forests, for approval, said Water Resources Minister M.B. Patil yesterday.

Speaking to reporters in Bengaluru, the Minister said that the Department was preparing for DPR by collecting photos of the project and mapping the area through aerial surveys.

[Pic courtesy: Internet]

Listing the advantages of the Rs. 6,000 crore Mekedatu hydro-electric project, he said that the Government hopes to provide drinking water to two-thirds of Bengaluru and Karnataka was fully within its rights to go ahead with it.

"The project does not violate Cauvery Water Tribunal award, which allows us to use 190 tmcft of the river water and generate around 400 MW power from it," he said. Noting that there were no reservoirs below the Krishna Raja Sagar (KRS) and Kabini dams in the Cauvery basin, he pointed out that this let a lot of the river water flow directly into the sea during monsoon, when it could be stored.

The construction of the balancing storage reservoir at Mekedatu would not only prevent this colossal wastage but also help Tamil Nadu as Karnataka would be able to comfortably release water to it every month as prescribed by the Supreme Court, the Minister said.

The reservoir can store 67 tmcft of water. While the State Government does not anticipate any problems with the Central Water Commission and the Supreme Court on its plans to build the reservoir and intends to keep them fully informed on its progress, it is trying hard to convince Tamil Nadu that it will serve its interests as well.

KAS Officer files plaint against 4 IAS officers alleging harassment

K. Mathai

Bengaluru, May 25- Karnataka Administrative Service (KAS) Officer K. Mathai has filed a complaint before the Karnataka Lokayukta against four IAS Officers for allegedly harassing him. He has alleged that 'IAS mafia' has been harassing him and has named four IAS officers — two Additional Chief Secretaries and two Principal Secretary-rank officials — in his complaint.

Mathai had submitted the complaint to Chief Secretary Subhash Chandra Khuntia on April 10, and yesterday, he submitted it to Lokayukta Justice P. Vishwanath Shetty. "The Lokayukta has jurisdiction over grievance redressal in the State. Since there is no separate grievance redressal forum for Government officials, I had to seek redressal from the Lokayukta," he said, defending his action.

Mathai, who is currently the Administrative Officer and Under-Secretary, Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms, also sought an appointment with Chief Minister Siddharamaiah in reference to corruption charges and intentional harassment by the IAS officers — Kalpana, M. Laxmi Narayana, T.K. Anil Kumar and E.V. Ramana Reddy.

In his complaint, Mathai has listed a series of instances of how he was being targeted and harassed — multiple transfers, salary being held up, and not being given a vehicle in his present posting. He has alleged that the harassment was a result of exposing a senior IAS officer's role in an illegal advertisement scam in Bengaluru in 2015.

"I have filed a complaint against four IAS officers regarding various issues including harassment, I underwent by senior officers. I have submitted a 101-page complaint before the Chief Secretary. I have sought another appointment with him to further discuss these issues," Mathai told reporters yesterday.

Asphyxia caused Anurag Tiwari's death, says autopsy report

Post-mortem report indicates that the IAS officer was either smothered or strangled

Lucknow, May 25- The post-mortem report of IAS officer **Anurag Tiwari**, who was found dead in mysterious conditions outside a VIP guest house in Lucknow, has stated asphyxia as the cause of his death.

The post-mortem was conducted by a panel of four doctors, including a head of forensic medicine Ashok Kumar Verma. The report mentions that deep cut marks below his chin and injuries to his face and hands are suggestive of the fact that he grappled with the assailants before he died.

The dried blood stains were proof of him lying face up around his death and could have been dumped face down, on the road opposite the guest house he was staying at, in order to conceal the murder. The report specifies that he passed urine before his death, indicating that he was either smothered or strangled. The presence of 520 ml of semi/undigested food (according to the post-mortem report) in Tiwari's stomach indicates that he could well have been murdered between 1 am and 2 am, the night before since it is established that he had dinner around 10 pm.

Ifthe death had occurred around 5.30 am, as suggested by the Police, the food would have got fully digested as per forensic experts.

"Viscera and blood will be sent to the Forensic Science Laboratory (FSL) for special test and on the basis of the report the cause of the death will be ascertained," the doctor said. An expert team from a renowned test agency will also be roped in for the test.

Earlier, the murder case of the IAS officer was transferred to the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI). "It has been decided that the investigation will be transferred to the CBI," Principal Home Secretary Arvind Kumar said.

This came after the family members of the slain officer registered an FIR with the Police in Lucknow against unknown persons under the section 302 of the Indian Penal Code (IPC) and made a demand that the case should to be handed over to the CBI.

Obituary

Vasantha Rama Rao

Mysuru, May 25- Vasantha Rama Rao (87), wife of late Dr. S. Rama Rao of Mysore Medical Hall and a resident of Lakshmipuram in city, passed away this morning following brief illness.

She is survived by two daughters and a host of relatives.

Last rites were performed at the foot of Chamundi Hill here today, according to family sources.

Aiajaz Ahmed Khan

Aiajaz Ahmed Khan (50), a resident of Udayagiri in city, passed away yesterday at his residence following heart attack.

He leaves behind his wife, brothers, sisters and a host of relatives and friends.

Namaz-e-Janaza was held yesterday after Namaz Makrib prayers at Masjid Azam-Ahle-Sunnath-wo-Jammath on Ashoka Road, followed by the burial at the Muslim Burial Ground near Tipu Circle here.

Mohammed Zubair

Mohammed Zubair (62), a resident of Sathyanagar, passed away yesterday in city.

He leaves behind three sons including Chote Afzal, SDPI Ward 51 Committee Member, three daughters and a host of relatives and friends.

Namaz-e-Janaza will be held today after Zohar prayers at Bade Zuhur Jamia Masjid on Irwin Road, followed by the burial at the Muslim Burial Ground (Gate-1) on Pulikeshi Road in city.

Pourakarmikas to tour foreign countries: Minister Anjaneya

Mysuru, May 25 (YDS)- The Karnataka State Government will sponsor foreign trip to 1,000 Pourakarmikas for them to learn about latest technologies used in keeping the cities clean, said Social Welfare Minister H. Anjaneya.

He was speaking after inaugurating the valedictory of month-long cultural camp 'Naavu Pauraru Mahapauraru' organised by Adi Dravida Tamate Mathu Nagari Samskruthika Kala Vrunda for the children of Paurakarmikas in front of Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple here yesterday.

Stating it was an offence to make Pourakarmikas get into the manhole, Minister Anjaneya said that the foreign tour will enable Pourakarmikas to learn the technologies involved cleaning the UGDs.

"People involved in cleaning the cities are treated with immense respect in foreign countries. But, in our country such people are not even spoken to," he added.

Anjaneya also said that the children of Pourakarmikas must be brought to the mainstream by providing them education and other facilities. "There is a need to identify their talent and encourage them to come up in life. It is also important for us to protect artistes who make musical instrument using skin. The State Government is extending a lot of benefits to promote," he added.

The Minister also added that the Department had ordered the State Safaikarmachari Commission to release the funds for the month-long cultural camp conducted by the Kala Vrunda.

Karnataka Nataka Academy former Chairman Srinivas G. Kappanna, Mayor M.J. Ravikumar, State Safaikarmachari Commisson Chairman M.R. Venkatesh, Secretary Dr. Nataraj, former Mayor Purushotham, Film Director T.S. Nagabharana, actor Sundarraj and others were present.

The children also presented Mallakamba, Nagari, Mime Show and other folk-based cultural programme during the event.

'Coronation-2017' of Toastmasters International from tomorrow

Mysuru, May 25 (KS)- 'Coronation-2017,' the three-day annual conference of District 92 Toastmasters International, will be held at Radisson Blu Plaza Hotel in city. The event will be inaugurated by Yaduveer Krishnadatta Chamaraja Wadiyar.

The three-day Conference includes sessions from DTM Mohammed Murad, Past International President of Toastmasters International, Dr. Debashis Chatterjee, Director General of International Management Institute, New Delhi, Geeta Ramanujam, Founder of Kathalaya Trust and Academy of Story Telling, Dr. Rajdeep Manwani, Academician, Trainer, Motivational Speaker and a National Award recipient, and Vivek Muralidharan and Rajashekar Mamidanna, Stand-up comedians and Improv artists.

The conference will also feature International Speech Contest and Table Topic Contest and the winner of the International Speech contest will represent District 92 in International Convention to be held in August at Vancover, Canada.

Housewife commits suicide

Mysuru, May 25 (RK&KS)- Depressed over husband deserting her, a housewife committed suicide by hanging self at her residence in Gandhinagar here on Tuesday Night.

The deceased has been identified as Nethra Asiya (24), wife of Asiya. Nethra, who had married Asiya about four years ago, had changed her name to Nethra Asiya.

After two years of her marriage, Asiya is said to have deserted her resulting in Nethra going under depression and taking the extreme step on Tuesday night.

NR SI Shabeer Hussain, who has registered a case in this regard is investigating.

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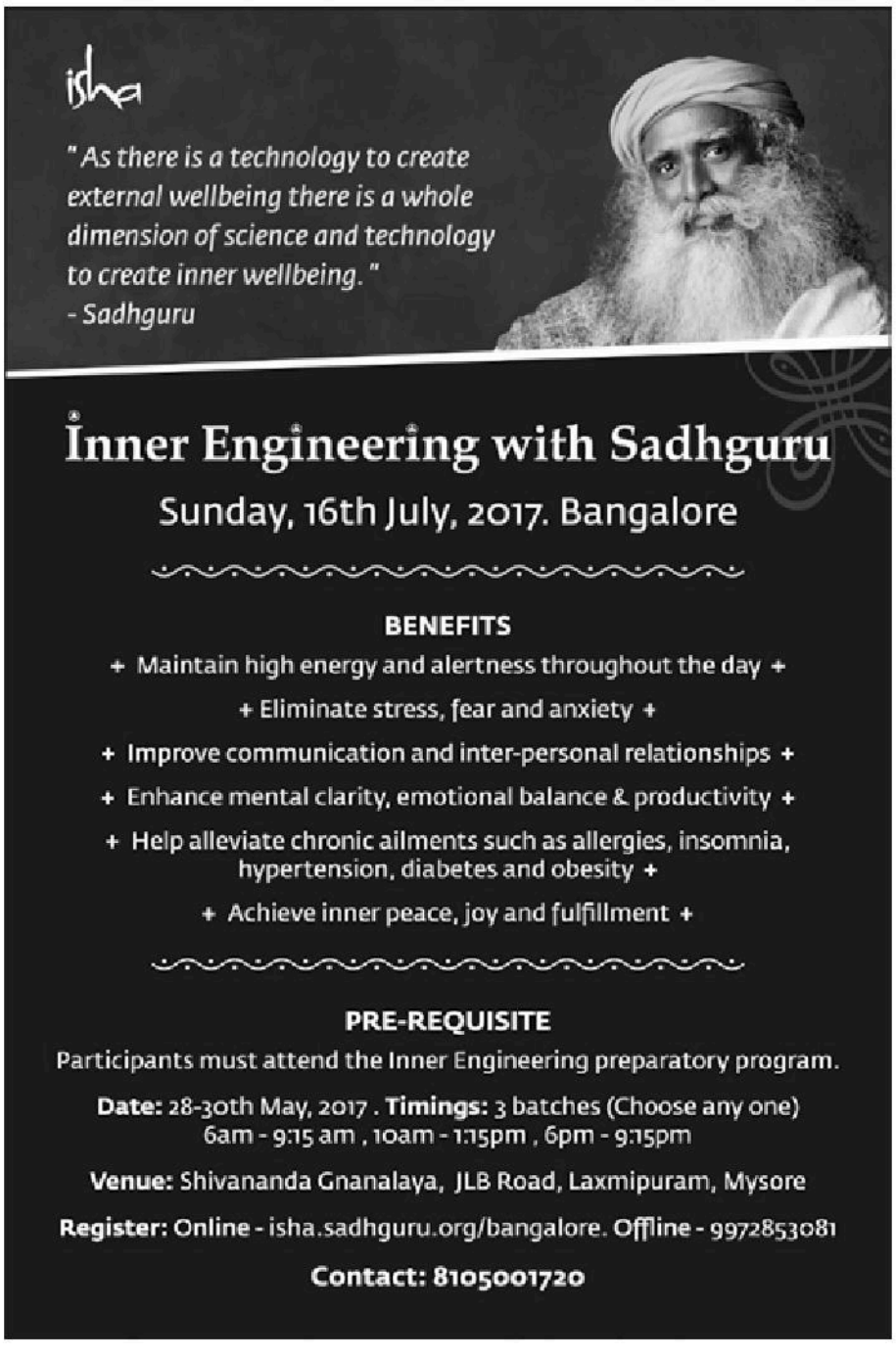
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Tracing Mysore's Connection with the Crawfords - 1

Craword Hall is one of the most iconic buildings in the Heritage City of Mysuru. Now, with the founder of University of Mysore Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar's statue that was installed during the Centenary Celebrations of the University, hardly anyone passes by without offering *pranams* to the great builder of institutions. However, very little was known about the Crawford brothers who donated a sum of Rs. one lakh those days for the construction of the Hall. Biddanda Samrat Chengapa, an advertising professional, who owns the Hirvate Estate in Sakleshpur, earlier owned by Crawford, managed to get in touch with the descendants of Crawfords in England on *Ancestry.com*. Samrat, who lives in Bengaluru with his wife Trupti Chengapa and son Biddanda Arman Chengapa divides his time between Bengaluru and Sakleshpur. *Star of Mysore* Features Editor N. Niranjan Nikam, in this fascinating tale, traces the people connected with the Crawfords.

By N. Niranjan Nikam

As one drives on Krishnaraja Boulevard Road past Maharaja's College and the Oriental Research Institute (ORI), the eyes keep popping out looking at the Heritage buildings. The visual effects do not stop and it continues till the eyes get arrested at the magnificent colonnaded structure—the 'Crawford Hall'—the administrative building of the century-old University of Mysore.

It was during the Centenary Celebrations of the University of Mysore that a few closely associated with the year-long event decided to find out about the person after whose name the builders is named. Except for some sketchy reports, sadly there was nothing much available on record. Everyone knew that Lt. Col. W.L. Crawford and his brother, Lt. Col. C.S. Crawford were coffee planters who owned vast estates in Sakleshpur and Chikmagalur. It is also known that the Crawford brothers donated a sum of Rs. one lakh for the construction of a building for the intermediate college for women in Mysore city in the year 1944.

As they had not imposed any condition with their donation, the funds were instead used to build a hall that could be used for Convocation and administrative office.

Samrat Chengapa

It was also known that the Crawfords owned the Hirvate estate in Sakleshpur. That is where the trail of Crawfords ended. Only as the centenary celebrations were coming to an end did this writer chance to meet the current owner of the Hirvate estate — the affable **Samrat Chengapa.**

It was a fascinating meeting, as it turned out, that the descendants of the Crawford brothers were coming to visit the Hirvate estate in November last. How did this connection happen?

"I was curious to trace the Crawfords as the Hirvate estate has lots of history and I wanted to find out about their descendants. I have the complete Will of Lt. Col. William Lotus Carlton Crawford. He had bequeathed most of his property to his two nieces, Helen Gladys and Sheila Wheeler, both cousins. Except for this, it was zero results to trace them," said Samrat, speaking to *Star of Mysore*.

It was then that Samrat's manager found out about the Ancestry.com, which helps discover your family history. He contacted Kay a Scottish lady of Ancestry.com. She connected with the Parish in Devon, England. By sheer coincidence, James Robert Francis Lake, the great grand nephew of W.L. Crawford, who had registered just one week before saw the post from Samrat and connected. The rest, as they say, is history.

"Just like James, I also believe that there were some forces at play that connected us. Because, James had thought that the message which asked if there was anyone out there related to the Crawfords in India was a spam and was about to delete it. Today we are the best of friends," said Samrat.

James and his father David Clamont Crawford Lake, the grand nephew of Crawford came to Hirvate Estate, Sakleshpur, in November of 2016. Their joy knew no bounds as they stepped into the vast estate that was once owned by their ancestor, the Crawfords. David is the son of Helen Gladys, niece of Crawford.

Star of Mysore caught up with the Crawfords at the Hirvate estate during their visit. When they were told about the Crawford Hall, they were overjoyed and keen to see the building named after their ancestor. Both David and James, who were on a very short visit, were simply overawed at the magnificent edifice and moved to tears to see the photo of W.L. Crawford at the entrance to the Hall. "It is so well maintained," they exclaimed.

[To be continued tomorrow]

"It is the little we can do in return to the 'kindly land' where we went as boys. I had just turned 18 years old and my brother one year younger. We both came out as junior assistants to learn about coffee. After landing in Madras we went directly by rail to Mysore and later by road to Hassan; the journey was five days long. What vast changes and enormous progress has taken place in the State since then. I am indeed glad to have been privileged to have seen all the progress and recall many pleasant days I have from time to time spent in Mysore City."

–Lt Col. W.L. Crawford, in a letter dated October 10, 1944.

James Robert Francis Lake** (left) **and David Clamont Crawford Lake during their visit to the Crawford Hall last year.

Special diet for devotees with diabetes at Ganapathy Ashrama

Mysuru, May 25 (RKB&NN-N)-India is the Diabetes capital of the world with more than 50 million people suffering from type 2 diabetes. Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji, whose 75th birthday and *Vajrotsava* is being celebrated in a grand manner, is acutely aware of this problem that many of his devotees are diabetics.

Thousands of his devotees from all over the world have gathered to mark the birthday celebrations. Like every year, this year too, sumptuous food including breakfast, lunch and dinner is being served. However, to control diabetes what one needs to do is control, eating habits. As many devotees are diabetics, the Swamiji has taken a special interest to serve food that is healthy and suits them — in short, a special diabetic diet.

Nearly 300 people have registered as diabetics. Every day instead of coffee and tea they are served ragi porridge prepared with pepper, ginger and other ingredients in the morning. Majority prefer to drink this concoction.

During breakfast at 8.30 am, three idlis with quinoa (navane) chutney is served. The devotees eat fresh fruits like watermelon, apples, pomegranate at 11 am. For afternoon lunch, roti, parota, ragi balls, quinoa rice, different types of greens, payasam without sugar and a few other items are served. At 4 pm, biscuits and sugarless porridge and for dinner dry chapati, greens palya and other delicacies using millets are served.

The diabetics are very happy with the food and laud the Swamiji for his concern and care for them. "The interest that the Swamiji has taken about diabetics like us is truly commendable. He is a true Guru who has the interest of his devotees in mind. I have been eating a diabetic diet since the last four days and it has helped me keep my diabetes under control. If we reduce consumption of rice and eat millets and greens one can keep it under check," says K. N. Ananthanarayan, a retired Railway official and a devotee of the Swamiji who is eating food at the Ashrama since the past four days.

Ashrama sources revealed that after the birthday celebrations, a one-day demonstration on diabetic diet will be held.

Millets, food of the rich

The organically grown foods, which have become a fad among the rich and the higher middle class, has become very expensive. Small millets, greens, ragi which are all poor man's diet is now the rich man's health diet. "Small millets, ragi, greens are all food that is eaten by poor people all over the country. However, with the rise in lifestyle diseases, the doctors and dieticians are discovering that the poor-man's food is what suits the rich man now-a-days to stay healthy. As a result many of these organically grown foods like small millets have become very expensive," said Agriculture Scientist Dr. Vasanth Kumar Thimkapura.

Swamiji creates awareness about diabetes

Sri Ganapathy Swamiji is known all over the world for his healing of diseases through music and he calls it the music therapy. With the increase of diabetes in the world, the Ashrama has come forward to create awareness about this silent killer. By consuming food grown using chemicals and fertilisers the people are prone to a lot of diseases and the primary one is diabetes.

The Swamiji, focusing on the diet for diabetics this time during his 75th birthday celebrations, has shown that he is aware of the health problems that a majority of the people in the country are facing today.

Introducing a diabetic-friendly diet is his way of spreading the message that if one eats properly by having two seasonal fruits and two vegetables and most importantly, timely food, then diabetes can be kept under control.

3.5 litre oil used in 5 days!

In the light of separate food prepared for diabetics, the use of oil is limited. Only 3.5 litres of oil has been used from May 21 till now, said the Ashrama sources.

Violin-flute Jugalbandi

Vid. Mysore Manjunath on violin and Pt. Ronu Majumdar on flute presenting a Jugalbandi Concert at Nada Mantapa in Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashrama premises on Ooty Road in city last evening as part of the ongoing Diamond Jubilee and 75th birthday celebrations of Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji and 19th anniversary of Nada Mantapa. Today at 6 pm, Royal Danish Ballet of Denmark will perform.

Great Bombay Circus to conclude on May 28

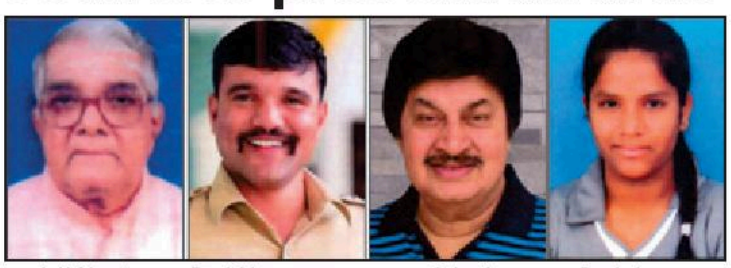
Mysuru, May 25- The Great Bombay Circus, which has pitched its tent at the Horse Park behind Zoo in Nazarbad here, for the last 40 days, will be here for last four days including today.

There will be three shows daily at 1 pm, 4 pm and 7 pm and will conclude with last show (7 pm) on Sunday (May 28).

Along with international artistes, trained animals like camels, horses, dogs and birds will also display their skills.

Advance booking facility is also available [Mob:80954-25958 or 96207-38666], according to a press release.

Vedike to present awards



L.N.Shastry *Ravi Channannavar* *Srinath* *Deeksha*

Mysuru, May 25 - City's Naganava Kala Sahitya Vedike will be presenting the State-level Naga's Navasiri Award instituted in memory of V. Nageshan during the 10th anniversary celebrations of the Vedike on June 4 at Sri Rajendra Auditorium in JSS Hospital premises at 10 am.

This year, the awards will be presented to Senior litterateur Lakshmi Narasimha Shastry, Mysuru SP Ravi D. Channannavar, actor Srinath and national-level kabaddi player Deeksha.

The Vedike will also felicitate meritorious SSLC and PUC students on the occasion.

This will be followed by cultural programmes including Neelagara recital, Vachana recital, Bhavageethe, Kodava traditional dance, Bharatanatyam and Kavighosti.

Bags Best Paper Award

Mysuru, May 25- Swathi, a Post-Graduate Student of Digital Electronics and Communication Systems, Vidya Vikas Institute of Engineering & Technology (VVIET), has won the Best Paper Award for her paper titled " Pressure Cooker Safety Alert System" in the International Conference on Emerging Trends in Science & Engineering, ICETSE -2017, organised by Coorg Institute of Technology, Ponnampet, South Kodagu recently.

The paper was co-authored and guided by Dr. Bindu A. Thomas, Professor and Head, Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering and Subasree Venkatesan, Director, Sri Veda EmSys Solutions Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru.

Anitha and Lahari, also of VVIET, presented their papers titled "Indoor Navigation Using Ibeacon Technology" and "Wieless Voice Communication using Bluecore Technology" respectively in the conference.

Ganapathy Swamiji cuts 120 ft. long birthday cake

CAKE PRASADAM: ***Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji celebrated his 75th birthday, as part of Vajrotsava, by cutting a 120 ft. long, 3 ft. wide cake weighing 1,500 kgs. The letters SGS 8 ft. in length and 4 ft. wide, with two peacocks on either side decorated the long cake. The other attraction that adorned the cake was 108*** *padas* ***and 108*** *deepas.* ***The eggless, vegetarian cake was baked by a 50-member team, Shashi Group Bakers, from Tenali near Hyderabad, who offered it to the Swamiji as a token of love and devotion. The Swamiji also walked on the*** *sajjappa* ***(a sweet delicacy) spread from his abode to Poundrika Rangasthala where the cake was displayed. Swamiji cut the cake in the presence of a large number of devotees at 8 am today in the Ashrama premises on Ooty Road here. It was distributed to all his devotees and even children and people from the areas surrounding the Ashrama partook of the delicious cake.***

Sri Swamiji presents Datta Peetha Awards

VAJROTSAVA DAY-5: ***As part of the Diamond Jubilee and 75th birthday celebrations of Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji and 19th anniversary of Nada Mantapa, Datta Peetha Titles were awarded to the following persons at Nada Mantapa in Ganapathy Ashrama premises on Ooty Road in Dattanagar this morning:***
Veda Nidhi: ***Sridhara ADI, Gokarna (Atharva Veda);*** *Shastra Nidhi:* ***Goda Venkateswara Shastry, Chennai (Vedanta Shastra);*** *Nada Nidhi:* ***Guruvayur Dorai, Chennai (Mridanga); Bombay Sisters — C. Saroja and C. Lalitha, Chennai (Karnatak Vocal);*** *Vishwa Hindu:* ***Narayana Mohan, Singapore (Community Service);*** *Vishwa Bandhu:* ***Dr. K. Gunaratna, Singapore (Buddhism);*** *Pravachana Nidhi:* ***V. Rajagopala Ghanapathi, Chennai; Pavamana Achar, Bengaluru;*** *Asthana Vidwan:* ***Subbaraya Bhat, Sringeri (Meemamsa Shastra); Dr. Suma Sudhindra, Bengaluru (Veena); Sukanya Ramagopal, Bengaluru (Ghata);*** *Sasya Bandhu:* ***Renu Vysh, New Delhi;*** *Datta Peetha Bandhu:* ***S. Jayaraman, Chennai (Community Service). The awardees are seen with Sri Ganapathy Swamiji and Junior Pontiff Sri Datta Vijayananda Teertha Swamiji.***

Yoga capital aims for Guinness Record on Intl. Yoga Day

Mysuru DC conducts fourth meeting to galvanise people to participate

Mysuru, May 25 (MTY&NNN)- Mysuru is the yoga capital of the world. The District Administration is making all efforts to live up to this reputation by trying to create a Guinness Record.

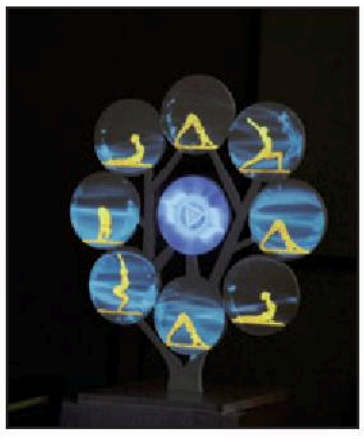
Deputy Commissioner D. Randeep is leaving no stone unturned to achieve the objective. He had called for a meeting of various stakeholders at his office this morning, already the fourth one.

The aim is to gather 50,000 yoga enthusiasts in one platform to perform yoga asanas and break the record set in 2015 at Janpath in New Delhi, when Prime Minister Narendra Modi declared June 21 as the International Yoga Day.

"On that day 35,895 people had participated and we want to beat that record in the third International Yoga Day by involving at least 50,000 people," said Tourism Department Deputy Director H.P. Janardhan.

When *Star of Mysore* brought to his notice that Prime Minister Narendra Modi will be performing yoga on June 21, the third International Yoga Day, along with 55,000 people at Ramabai Ambedkar Maidan in Lucknow, he said that though they had heard about it they were not sure of the number.

He said that he would bring it to the notice of the Deputy Commissioner and see that more people participate to really create the Guinness World Record. Janardhan added that they had already got in touch with the Guinness people who would be arriving on that day to record the feat.



Motivation campaign

The district administration has planned motivation campaigns so that more people could register their names and help create the record. "Once the campaign begins we expect the yoga patashalas, schools, colleges, institutions and the general public to come forward and register in large numbers," said Janardhan.

There is one more record that Mysuru is planning to break. In 2014 a yoga chain was formed in Tamil Nadu with 3,849 yoga performers.

"This year we want to break the record with 5,001 people participating in the Yoga chain doing a particular asana holding hands. The particular yoga asana will be decided by the Department of AYUSH," he said.

Meanwhile, at the meeting in the DC office here this morning, officials from BEML, DFRL, CFTRI, BSNL, India Post, voluntary organisations like Rotary, Round Table, CREDAI, and BAI participated.

It was decided to have 67 blocks. In the Palace premises 10,000 people would perform. The rest would be spread over from Hardinge Circle to Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple, from Kote Anjaneya temple to KR Circle, from KR Circle to stretch of Devaraj Urs Road and from KR Circle to Ayurveda Circle on Sayyaji Rao Road.

A private agency, which has recorded a video for the occasion in both Kannada and English, will play it to motivate the participants.

District AYUSH Officer Dr. Seethalakshmi, Nehru Yuva Kendra Coordinator M. N. Nataraj, Mysuru Travels Association President B. S. Prashanth, RiiiT's S.V. Venkatesh and others participated in the meeting.

'Bit of land' near your house to cost less now

MUDA revises prices of 'bit of land'

Mysuru, May 25 (OSR)- In the backdrop of house and site owners refraining to buy the 'bit of land' adjoining residential sites and corner sites, terming the selling price as exorbitant, the Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) has revised the prices of such 'bit of land.'

The 'bit of land' adjoining residential sites will now be allotted to site and house owners at one-and-a-half times the price stipulated by the Sub-Registrar's Office, said MUDA Commissioner Dr. M. Mahesh. This reduction will benefit thousands of site owners who come from lower and middle class families who have so far backtracked from buying the land, though it was adjacent to their properties, as it was expensive.

Following poor response for 'bit of land' purchase, the MUDA, after deciding to revise the prices, had formed a Sub-Committee to stipulate a revised rate. The Sub-Committee, which met on Feb.18, 2017, stipulated the revised price, which was approved by MUDA at its general meeting on Feb. 27, 2017.

Accordingly, the price of 'bit of land' at the front/ back/ in-between intermediary sites will be based on the guidance value for that particular locality stipulated by the Sub-Registrar's Office while the price of 'bit of land' adjoining corner sites will be 50 percent above the guidance value stipulated by the Sub-Registrar's Office for that particular locality.

The price of bit of land adjoining Economically Weaker Sections (EWS)/ Low Income Group (LIG) houses will be 25 percent above the guidance value stipulated by the Sub-Registrar's Office for that particular locality.

The price of bit of land adjoining industrial sites will be the same as the guidance value stipulated by the Sub-Registrar's Office, the price of CA (civic amenities) sites will be the same as that of the current price and the price of bit of land along the roads that are over 60 ft. wide will be double the current price stipulated by the Sub-Registrar's office.

NIA files charge-sheet against three persons

(Continued from page 1)

The NIA charge-sheet said its investigation revealed that the bomb explosion at Mysuru Court complex was carried out by the accused as part of a larger conspiracy to threaten the judiciary.

Interrogation in Mysuru revealed that it was Abbas Ali who manufactured the Improvised Explosive Device (IED) and planted it in a pressure cooker. Abbas Ali later handed over the cooker to Suleiman with instructions to place it inside the Mysuru Court Complex.

According to the information elicited from Suleiman, he started from Madurai early on Aug. 1 in a Tamil Nadu Government bus and got down at Yelethota on the Nanjangud Road at around 3.30 pm. The cooker containing the explosives and timer was wrapped in a bag. From Yelethota he took an autorickshaw to reach the Court complex. He then went to the toilet complex and used the urinal.

As it was evening time, there were not many people in the vicinity. Suleiman then spotted a sweeper cleaning the toilet. He then spoke to the sweeper and handed over the bag of explosives to him and told him that he would return after some time. He also gave him Rs. 10 for the job. An unsuspecting sweeper took the bag and placed at a corner of the toilet. The cooker exploded at 4.30 pm.

The NIA said that the accused persons founded a terror outfit, sent threatening letters to various jails, senior Government functionaries and the French Consulate, and carried out blasts in five Court premises.

Contract, daily-wage Pourakarmikas seek regularisation of jobs

Mysuru, May 25 (RKB&DM)-In response to the State-wide protest call, hundreds of Pourakarmikas, under the joint banner of Karnataka Rajya Nagarapalike, Nagarasabhe, Purasabhegala Pourakarmikara Maha Sangha, MCC Regular and Contract Pourakarmikas Association and MCC Contract Pourakarmikas Association, staged a demonstration in front of the DC's office here this morning seeking fulfilment of their long standing demands, which chiefly included regularisation of services of contract and daily-wage Pourakarmikas.

Maintaining that their numerous representations on regularisation of services had no impact, the protesters demanded implementation of the Karnataka High Court order and State Cabinet decision taken on May 4, 2016 on regularisation of Pourakarmikas working in City Corporations who have been serving for years, regularisation of the services of Supervisors and Jaffedars who work with them and regularisation of services of watermen, drivers, drainage workers, maistries etc., serving in urban local bodies, among others.

Earlier, the protesters, playing percussion instruments, marched in a procession from Town Hall to the DC's office and submitted a memorandum containing their charter of demands to the DC.

Urban Development Secretary holds review meeting

Mysuru, May 25 (RK&KS)- Urban Development Department Secretary V. Ponnuraj conducted Mysuru city and rural drinking water supply review meeting at the Deputy Commissioner's office here this morning.

The meeting, which was held in detail, discussed about the number of sources and quantity of water being supplied to city, steps being taken to measure the quantity of water being supplied to city, number of reservoirs in city, number of connections given by JUSCO, number of active connections, number of metres installed, number of working metres and the total amount being collected through water bills among others.

Safaikarmachari Commission

Chairman visits K.R. Hospital

Karnataka State Safaikarmachari Commission Chairman M.R. Venkatesh** (in black waist coat), **who visited K.R. Hospital in the city this morning, inspected the working environs of Safaikarmacharis serving there. He enquired whether they were given safety equipment and directed the hospital authorities to ensure that all Safaikarmacharis wore safety equipment while working. Commission Member Gokul Narayanaswamy, Ambedkar Development Corporation Deputy Director Bharathi, Labour officer M. Manjula Devi, K.R. Hospital Superintendent Dr. Chandrashekar and others were present.

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Decoding Mythology

Dr. Devdutt Pattanaik - Author, Speaker, Illustrator, Mythologist

From a name to an opinion

For Indian names, at least, decoding these proper nouns unfolds a world of mythology, history and literature.

A great way to engage in conversation with people is to ask them for the meaning of their name. For Indian names, at least, decoding these proper nouns unfolds a world of mythology and history and literature.

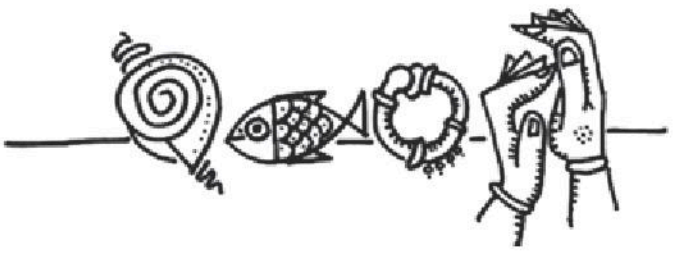
Take my name, for example. Devdutt. As a common noun, it means the 'Gift of God'. If 'dutt' was written as 'doot', then it would be 'Messenger of God'. In Buddhist mythology, it refers to Gautama Buddha's antagonist, Devdutt. In Hindu mythology, it refers to Arjuna's conch-shell, one that he finally blows to declare war, after being enlightened by the *Gita* discourse of Krishna. My mother, who named me, had no clue that in Maharashtra people worship Datta, a sage-deity, an amalgamation of the Hindu trinity, a teacher of teachers, of the Nath parampara. So, Devdutt can also refer to him. A Tamil friend told me that he had heard Narada's lute is named Devdutt.

Now, let's turn to three other names: Meenakshi, Rahul and Paromita.

Meenakshi means one whose eyes are shaped like a fish. Not the round eye of a fish, but tapering contours of a fish, the typical Indian Jamini Roy type of almond eyes, which exists in many variations, according to poets, like the bud of a lotus (Padmakshi), or the eyes of a deer (Mriganayani). As a proper noun, it refers to the Goddess-queen of Madurai, who rode north in search of a husband and found her match in the handsome Somasundara Shiva of Kailas. She transforms the hermit into a householder and brings him to her Palace-temple and every night in a grand ceremony he comes to her and they spend the night on a swing in a room full of mirrors, filled with the heady scent of jasmine flowers.

Rahul is how Gautama of the Sakya clan addressed his newborn son. In Prakrit, it means fetter, the one who binds you. For Gautama saw his son as the responsibility that would stop him from going into the forest in search of the truth. Others say, Rahul means 'the enabler', for the newborn's tears convinced Gautama that the sorrows of the world need to be understood, addressed and overcome. For which he had to abandon his family and go to the forest, and eventually become the Buddha, the one who is aware and awake, to the cause of all misery.

Like Rahul, Paromita's name comes from the Buddhist tradition, probably the Pala Buddhism from medieval Bengal considering the stress on 'o'. Derived from the other (para) and beyond (paar) and infinite (param), it refers to the one who takes you beyond the self to the other, gives you access to the other side, and leads you toward infinity, towards completeness and perfection.



It is the name of Tara who introduces feminine compassion (karuna) into Buddhism, and so completes the otherwise masculine doctrine of detached wisdom (pragnya). She transforms the hermit's solitary path of self-realisation, which borders on self-obsession, and makes him care for the rest. She is therefore linked to Saraswati, Goddess of Knowledge.

You wonder if embedded in your name is a secret desire of your parents, or a seed of ancestral wisdom, a thought, not just a label to identify you from others. You sit back and look at your life and wonder if you have lived up to your name, and whatever meaning you choose to give it.

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Anger Control

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An interesting story: There was once a young lad who used to get angry at the touch of a button. His father gave him a bag of nails and told him to punch a nail to the fence every time he felt angry. The first day the lad was so angry he punched about 37 nails on the fence. Slowly some time passed and the lad learnt to control his anger and a time came when he did not put a single nail on the fence.

Ballal

Now the father told him to remove a single nail everyday when he did not feel angry. It took many a weeks before all the nails could be removed. When the last nail was removed from the fence, the lad took the father to the fence and told him proudly that he had at last learnt to control his anger. The father then told him, *"Son, I am glad you have been able to control your anger but please have a look at the fence. It has been permanently disfigured. When you show your anger on someone, it leaves a permanent scar on that person. With time, the hurt may reduce but the scar always remains in his heart."*

A simple story with a deep meaning. How true, the scars of an angry duel can remain for life time resulting in broken relationships.

What is anger? A strong feeling of annoyance, displeasure, hostility, irritation, indignation, resentment, rage. Depending on the degree, each of these feelings will manifest to anger. But a shocking truth: anger is a healthy and normal emotion as long as it is under control; anger also has a physical side to it. Have you noticed how your heart and pulse rate shoot up when angry? If you are a heart patient, these are dangerous signs and need controlling. Anger is also a genetic trait. That is the reason you notice some children always are more prone to anger than others but it is the duty of the parents to counsel and train their children to control their anger.

Now let us enumerate some tips to reduce tension and anger: Lot of people recommend a count of ten to control anger. I recommend counting backwards from 10 to 1. Have tried it and it works.

Have you noticed when one is angry you breathe in more than you breathe out. Try reversing this. It works wonders. Your mind calms down immediately. I am reminded of a story of the Buddha: Once Buddha and his disciples were crossing a stream where some washer-men were washing their clothes. Buddha asked his disciples to go and get some water. They returned empty-handed saying that the water was muddy and not fit for drinking. The washer-men finished their work and went away. And Buddha asked his disciples to get water again. This time the river was clear and they could get water to drink. Buddha then told his disciples, "Mind is like a river. If you meddle with and disturb it, it becomes muddy and when calm, it is so peaceful and clear. When the washer-men were working, the water got disturbed and hence muddy and now did you notice how clear it is ?"

What is the moral of the story? Do not disturb the mind unnecessarily; a peaceful mind is always calm and clear.

One should learn to manage the anger; once you know that you can control your anger, half the battle is won.

It is also a fact that certain exercises like walking, yoga, meditation etc., can reduce the stress to a large extent. It is a misconception that consumption of alcohol or nicotine can reduce tensions and reduce anger. On the contrary, it can increase stress on your body. It is important that one relaxes and gets a good sleep. Lack of good sleep is a big irritant. If by chance you are not getting a good sleep, there are some exercises which might help but do not get used to sedatives to sleep; consult your doctor.

Getting creative like dancing, painting or singing also helps a lot to control anger. One of the most important tip for reducing anger is sharing with some friend or your partner who is a good listener. Pour out your grief and immediately you will feel better. **In Japan, most of the offices have a room where they hang out a dummy of the "boss." One can go into that room, yell, curse and box out your frustrations on the dummy. Very effective.** This ensures that these workers do not carry their anger home and vent out at their spouses. Half the problem is solved if one is able to recognise that one has a problem. If one's anger is leading to domestic violence and other complications, it is better to take professional help. There are trained counsellors or therapists who can help you out with this complications.

It is important to ensure that anger does not get converted to rage which sometimes cannot be controlled. Road rage is one such complication.

When one is talking of anger, it should also be mentioned that anger has its positive side too. In service, it is often noticed that one just does not needle a boss who is prone to anger. Union meetings are tricky and sometimes one has to get out to avoid giving some commitments. So I have feigned anger on some silly matter and walked out. I recollect a friend of mine, Dhirendra Singh, IAS, who was the DC of Hassan in 1976. He would deliberately throw all files left and right for a week's time after taking over any position and create a myth of being a tough and no-nonsense officer. He said that after this one week's exercise, lots of not so important files would not come to him at all and only genuine cases would come to him. I have used this trick all over my postings and can vouch that it works. Any CEO should learn how to feign anger to keep his subordinates on leash.

Let us take sports, aggression works. All the cricketing greats like Virat Kohli or Sachin Tendulkar have admitted that what motivates them to greater performance is aggression fuelled by anger. Have you seen any boxing bouts? Why do these boxing greats work themselves up shouting and egging their opponents? **Anger brings out the best in them and improves their performance.**

On the contrary, have you tried cooking when angry? The net result is normally a disaster.

Ironically, "fear" controls anger. A lady is being molested, why no one goes to her rescue? A gory accident has taken place. Every body is busy taking selfies and no one comes forward to help ? Fear factor.

To conclude, anger in control has both positives and negatives but when not in control can be disastrous. Prevention is always better than cure. So follow the tips given above to control your anger and once you have mastered it, then life is smooth and easy.

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MTC Cup AITA Men's Tennis Tournament

Prajwal Dev outsmarts Vijay Kannan

Mysuru, May 25- Playing a consistent baseline game on both the flanks, local lad **S.D. Prajwal Dev,** the third-seed, hogged the limelight on the third-day of the MTC Cup AITA Men's Tennis Tournament by beating former India Davis-cupper and fifth seeded Vijay Kannan (TN)) 6-3, 6-2 to enter the semi-finals in the men's singles event yesterday at the Mysore Tennis Club.

Showing lot of grit after taking a medical time-out due to a ankle sprain early in the first set, Prajwal Dev, served and stroked strongly on both the flanks to upset the rhythm of the seasoned campaigner Vijay Kannan. Prajwal Dev, capitalised on the unforced errors committed by rival and took a early 3-1 lead and ultimately went on to take the first set at 6-3. The second set, saw the games going with serves (2-2), but later Prajwal broke Vijay's serve in the fifth game and never looked back by winning four games in a row and took the set and match at 6-2.

Top-seed V.M. Ranjeet (TN) had to bring out his best and was stretched to the fullest extent by state-mate and seventh seed Fahad Mohammed, before prevailing in a keenly contested tie 6-4, 3-6, 6-4 and entered the semi-finals. Second-seed Faisal Qamar (RAJ) and sixth seeded Ishaque Eqbal (WB) also entered the last four stage with good wins over their respective rivals.

RESULTS

Men's Singles: Quarter-finals

V.M. Ranjeet (TN) bt Fahad Mohammed (TN) 6-4, 3-6, 6-4, Ishaque Eqbal (WB) bt Lohith A. Bathrinath (TN) 6-4, 7-5, S.D. Prajwal Dev (KAR) bt Vijay Kannan (TN) 6-3, 6-2, Faisal Qamar (RAJ) bt Chinmaya D. Chauhan (UP) 6-4, 6-4.

Doubles: Quarter-finals

Ishaque Eqbal/Shaik Osama bt Faisal Qamar/Nikhilesh 7-6 (7-0), 0-6, 5-2 (retd.), Sachin Kumar/Vanchal D'souza bt Mohith Bharadwaj/Abhiveer Shekhawat 6-3, 6-4, Alok Aradhya/ Nesar V. Jewoor bt Amit Bzad/ Dipanshu Garg 6-2, 6-2, Ishan Hussain Mahmood/Fahad Mohammed w/o Ansu Kumar Bhuyan/Chinmaya D. Chauhan.

IGU Eastern India Ladies & Junior Golf Championship

City's Pranavi, Vidhatri finish third

Jamshedpur, May 25- City's upcoming golfer Pranavi S. Urs and Vidhatri K. Urs taking part in the IGU Eastern India Ladies & Junior Golf Tournament held at Jamshedpur finished third in the Category B & C in junior girls sections respectively.

Anika Varma of Delhi with a three-day aggregate score of 217 (76+68+73) won the title in the Category B section. Rhea Purvi Saravanan (TN) secured the second place with a three-day score of 227 (76+80+71). Mysuru's Pranavi S. Urs with a three-day aggregate score of 236 (79+79+78) secured the third place.

Karnataka's Neeharika Thangamma with a score of 247 (85+82+80) finished eighth, while Jasmine Sachdev (KAR) with a three-day score of 247(81+84+82) finished ninth. Disha Kaveri of Mysuru finished 14th with a three-day score of 259 (91+95+83).

Hunar Mittal of Haryana won the title in the Category C junior girls section with a three-day aggregate score of 236 (79+76+81). Agrima Manral (UK) with a three-day aggregate score of 255 (85+83+87) finished second while Mysuru girl Vidhatri K. Urs with a score of 257 (82+89+86) secured the third place.

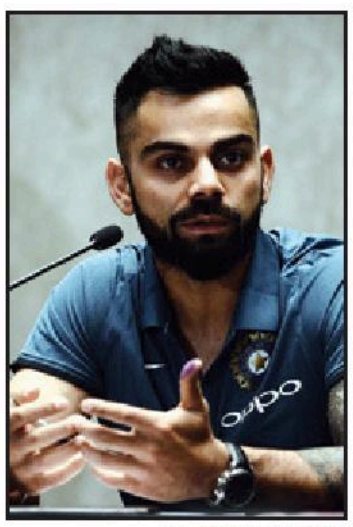
Geethika Ahuja of West Bengal won the title in Ladies section with a three-day aggregate score of 235 (80+77+78). Sifat Alag (DEL) finished second with a score of 260 (84+86+90).Tanvi Hubli (KAR) secured the third place with a three-day score of 266 (84+95+87).

Champions Trophy 2017

India all set for title defence

Mumbai, May 25- When Team India land in England to begin their title defence of the ICC Champions Trophy, it will be the first time that Virat Kohli will captain the Men in Blue in an ICC event.

In the pre-departure interaction with the media yesterday, Virat made it clear that India will not burden themselves with the tag of 'defending champions'. "I think the first challenge is not to think about the fact that we are defending the title. When we went there the last time, we just wanted to enjoy ourselves as a young unit. We ended up winning the tournament and ended up creating a team which has done so well so far," he said.



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Virat added that the team will continue to be ruthless on the field as they have throughout the season. Virat felt that the Champions Trophy was a more competitive tournament than the traditional World Cup.

With a combined experience of 582 ODIs between them, Virat said that the team will bank on Yuvraj Singh and Dhoni in critical times. He said when the two are out in the middle, it has a ripple effect on the other members in the team and it lifts their morale. "They have enough experience that if you give them freedom to play their game in the middle order, am sure they know most how to build the match, how to win, or come out of difficult situations," said Virat.

He said the reasons for success in the 2013 editions were mainly three; attacking openers, in-form spinners and a fast bowling unit that offered depth.

After the two warm-up games against New Zealand (May 28) and Bangladesh (May 30), India will play Pakistan in their first Group B match on July 4 at Edgbaston.

Inter-District Open Rapid Chess

Mysuru , May 25- Samyuktha Kreeda Sangha in association with Mysore Chess Center will be organising Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar Inter District Open Rapid Chess Cup on May 28 at EMMRC in Manasagangothri.

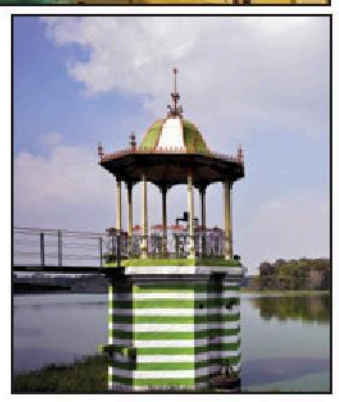
The orgnisers have announced a total cash prize of Rs. 30,000 for the top 10 players along with trophies for three players in the Open Category. The Top 10 players will be awarded trophies in the U13, U11, U9 and U7 categories for both boys and girls.

Players can register their entries through SMS or Whatsapp to 90608 24821 along with their name, date of birth and other detail. Last date for registration is May 27.

For more information contact, 906082 14821/ 97427 49120/ 72041 74284 or log on to *www.mysorechess.in*.

'Heritage' photo expo

Mysuru, May 25- City's amateur photo-journalist **V.G. Sridhar** has organised a three-day photo exhibition 'Heritage' dedicated to old structures of Mysuru from tomorrow (May 26) at Suchitra Art Gallery in Kalamandira. The expo will display rare photographs of old buildings which have been demolished to make way for new ones. The event aims to educate youngsters about old buildings which once existed and the existing heritage structures. Film Director Indrajeet Lankesh will inaugurate the expo at 11 am. Public can visit the expo from 10am-6pm.



CINEMA SAMAYA

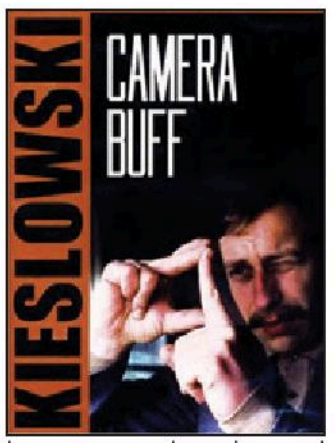
Screening of Polish movie 'Camera Buff' this evening

Mysuru, May 25- Polish movie 'Camera Buff,' directed by Krzysztof Kieslowski, will be screened at Kalamandira today (May 25) at 6 pm, as part of Cinema Samaya, organised under the aegis of the Department of Information and Public Relation, Karnataka Chalanachitra Academy and Mysore Film Society.

Prior to the movie, a documentary produced by Department of Information and Public Relation will be screened at 5.30 pm.

About the movie: Camera Buff (Polish: Amator, meaning "amateur") is a 1979 Polish drama film written and directed by Krzysztof Kieslowski and starring Jerzy Stuhr.

The film is about a humble factory worker whose newfound hobby, amateur film, becomes an obsession, and transforms his modest and formerly contented life.



Camera Buff won the Polish Film Festival Golden Lion Award and the FIPRESCI Prize and Golden Prize at the 11th Moscow International Film Festival, and the Berlin International Film Festival Otto Dibelius Film Award in 1980.

Public auction of old vehicle spare-parts

Mysuru, May 25- Old tyres, tubes, metal spare-parts, empty oil barrels, burnt oil and other old materials, belonging to the office of the City Police Commissioner-ate, will be auctioned at the CAR Ground behind Race Course at 11 am on May 30.

The tenders must be submitted before May 27.

For details, visit the City Police Commissioner's Office.

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56237/56238	Mysore-Bangalore Passenger	02.45 pm	06.00 pm	07.00 pm	10.20 pm
16232/16231	Mysore-Mayiladuthurai Express	03.30 pm	06.30 pm	06.00 am	08.40 am
16535/16536	Mysore-Solapur Golgumbaz Exp.	04.00 pm	07.10 pm	08.05 am	11.00 am
56213/56214	Tirupati Fast Passenger	05.00 pm	08.15 pm	07.30 am	10.30 am
16236/16235	MysoreTuticorn Express	06.00 pm	09.00 pm	07.00 am	9.45 am
16210/16209	Mysore-AjmerMysore Express	06.30 pm (Tuesdays & Thursdays)	09.30 pm	02.45 am (Sundays & Tuesdays)	06.00 am
16592/16591	Mysore-Hubli Hampi Exp.	07.00 pm	09.50 pm	06.30 am	09.15 am
56234/56233	Mysore-Bangalore Passenger	07.10 pm	10.25 pm	05.00 am	08.30 am
22681/22682	Mysore-Chennai Weekly SF Exp	08.10 pm (Wed)	10.45 pm (Wed)	05.40am (Fri)	8.20am (Fri)
16022/16021	Cauvery Express (to Chennai)	08.30 pm	11.25 pm	04.10 am	06.50 am
56263/56264	Mysore-Bangalore Passenger	11.55 pm	04.00 am	11.55 pm	04.00 am

TOWARDS NANJANGUD /CHAMARAJNAGAR (Passengers)

		Dep.Mys	Arr. Ch'nagar	Dep Ch'nagar	Arr.Mys
56206/56205	Mysore-Nanjangud	09.00 am	09.50 am(N'gud)	10.15 am(N'gud)	11.10 am
56202/56281	Mysore-Chamarajanagar	05.00 am	06.40 am	06.55 am	08.45 am
56204/56203	Mysore-Chamarajanagar	07.20 am	09.10 am	10.40 am	12.25 pm
56214/56213	Tirupati-Chamarajanagar	10.30 am	12.30 pm	03.00 pm	04.45 pm
56210/56209	Mysore-Chamarajanagar	12.30 pm	02.15 pm	06.00pm	07.50 pm
56208/56207	Mysore-Chamarajanagar	02.50 pm	04.40 pm	04.55 pm	06.35 pm
56282/56201	Mysore-Chamarajanagar	06.45 pm	08.35 pm	08.50 pm	10.30 pm

TOWARDS HASSAN/ ARSIKERE

		Dep.Mys	Arr.A'kere	Dep A'kere	Arr.Mys
11036/11035	Mysore-Dadar Sharavathi Express	06.15 am (Sunday)	09.10 am	06.10 pm	09.40 pm (Friday)
56266/56265	Mysore-Arsikere Passenger	07.15 am	11.10 am	05.30 pm	9.25 pm
56270/56269	Mysore-Shimoga Town Passenger	10.20 am	01.45 pm	12.35 pm	04.30 pm
56216/56215	Mysore-Hassan-Yesvantpur Passenger	8.30 am	02.45 pm (Yesvantpur)	01.00 pm (Yesvantpur)	08.00 pm
56268/56267	Mysore-Arsikere Passenger	06.20 pm	10.30 pm	05.00 am	09.25 am
12781/12782	Mysore-Nizamuddin (New Delhi) Swarna Jayanthi Superfast Weekly Express	08.10 pm	11.15 pm (Friday)	01.35 am	04.55 am (Wed.)
17301/17302	Mysore-Dharwad Express	10.30 pm	01.40 am	03.05 am	07.00 am

		Dep.Mys	Arr. Shimoga	Dep. Shimoga	Arr.Mys
16206/16205	Mysore-Talaguppa Express	05.50 am	10.50 am	04.50 pm	10.15 pm
56276/56275	Mysore-Shimoga Passenger	01.10 pm	07.40 pm	07.50 am	02.30 pm
07301/06228	Mysore-Shimoga Express	10.30 pm	04.45 am	10.30 pm	07.00 am

TOWARDS BANGALORE/ MANGALORE

		Dep.	Arr.
16523/17	MysoreKarwar/Kannur Express	11.30 pm (Mys.)	2.00 pm (Kar)
16524/18	Karwar/KannurMysore Express	02.40 pm (Kar)	5.15 am (Mys) 5.30 am leaves for Bangalore

[The train reaches Kannur at 11.35 am and departs at 4.30 pm]

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1) Booking Office, Mysore Railway Station; 2) Tejaswi Enterprises, # 115, opposite Thaponandana Park, Panchamanthra Road, Kuvempunagar, Mysore570 023 (Ph: 2341111); 3) Ravitheja Enterprises #514 Bharath Mansion, New Kalidasa Road, Vijayanagar 1st stage, Mysore (08214256789).

For battery operated vehicle facility call Mob: 97316-18884

NOTE: Computerised Advanced Reservation facility is also available at Sri Ganapati Sachchidananda Ashram Post Office (Ph: 0821 2417311) and Siddarthanagar Post Office (Ph: 0821 2417335), Sharma Services, Keerthi Plaza, Chamundipuram, Mysore Ph: 08214289032. Railway timetable is published in *Star of Mysore* every Thursday.

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The slushy C.V. Road Cross at Bannimantap

This is the state of the C.V. Road Cross near Bhavana Marble at Bannimantap with slush causing a lot of inconvenience to the public, employees of various industries and also to industrialists as it has become difficult for them to move on the road. Many said that despite urging and pleading with the authorities concerned and elected representatives to get the road repaired and asphalt it, their pleas have fallen on deaf ears. Authorities concerned are urged to take steps to get the road asphalted at the earliest.

Plea to clean drains near Post Office in Kalyangirinagar

Most of the drains in Kalyangirinagar is blocked with dry leaves, mud and waste materials resulting in water flowing on the road carrying the garbage with it and dumping on the road. As monsoon has begun, authorities concerned are urged to get the drains cleaned to allow rain water to flow in it freely.

This road in Bannimantap 'A' Layout needs to be asphalted

This road in Bannimantap 'A' Layout, near Veekay Agencies, is in a bad shape and has not been asphalted. With rains lashing the city since few days, slush has been accumulated on the road. With the water getting stagnant on the road, it has become difficult for the people who run various businesses in their establishments located on this road. Authorities concerned are urged to take steps to get the road asphalted.

Fertile fields levelled for Chief Minister's event

Farmers await compensation

Bylakuppe, May 25 (Rajesh &BCT)- Many farmers in Mutthina Mullusoge village in Periyapatna taluk are angry with Chief Minister Siddharamaiah. Reason: It is because of CM's visit that their standing crops were destroyed.

Several acres of land where crops were grown have been destroyed by officials to make a road for the CM who is arriving at the village on May 31 to launch a series of development works. Fields have been levelled for the CM's convoy to pass and the ground is being prepared to set up a huge stage for the gala event.

Farmers have alleged that though their crops have been destroyed, officials are non-committal about the compensation. Most of the farmers at Mutthina Mullusoge village are from backward communities and depend on agriculture for livelihood.

The CM is coming to Mutthina Mullusoge on May 31 to perform guddali puja for a project to fill 133 lakes and 17 ponds with Cauvery water. Farmers Nagaraju, Swaminayaka, Narayana, Mallesh Nayaka and Lakshmi have alleged that their farms on the banks of river Cauvery were destroyed by JCBs.

"We had taken loans from the banks and cooperative societies and had grown sesame, snake beans, tur dal, green gram and urad dal. Now we have nothing and when asked for compensation, officials have turned their face away," farmers said.

"When the officials came to our fields a week back, they had assured us compensation within two days. Harangi Rehabilitation Assistant Executive Engineer R.K. Rajegowda had assured us of suitable compensation and we agreed. Now that our crops are destroyed, he is dodging us," a farmer said. Responding to the allegation by farmers, Rajegowda told *Star of Mysore* that payment of compensation has been delayed due to some "technical reasons". "We will assess the extent of crop loss and we will have to coordinate with the agriculture department. Compensation will be paid soon," he said.

Delay in Class 12 CBSE, ISC exam results

CET results postponed

Bengaluru, May 25- Following the delay in Class 12 Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) and the Indian School Certificate (ISC) Exam results across the country, the Karnataka Examinations Authority (KEA) has decided to postpone the announcement of the Common Entrance Test (CET) results.

Sources in the KEA said that the CET results, which were to be announced on Saturday, would now be announced only after the CBSE and the ISC exam results are out.

Around 1.8 lakh candidates have written the test for admissions to engineering, agriculture and AYUSH courses.

This year, the CBSE and the ISC exams were postponed because of Legislative Assembly elections in five States.

With the Delhi High Court refusing to allow the CBSE to withdraw its moderation policy for the exams held this year, there has been a further delay in announcing the results.

DC office walkie-talkies become dysfunctional

Mysuru, May 25 (SPN&DM)- Although the wireless and walkie-talkie systems which facilitated an instant communication link between the District and Taluk Administrations in times of crisis have gone dysfunctional for over an year, the authorities seem to be least bothered to get the vital communication system back on track.

The wireless and walkie-talkie systems at the Control Room in the DC office as well as in the Taluk office stopped working over a year ago. The wireless communication system provided a vital link in between all those involved in disaster management, rescue operations in times of natural calamities, crisis management and the like. But the non-working of this communication system has hindered exchange of vital information in times of emergency.

The walkie-talkies were provided to all Tahsildars, Deputy Tahsildars and Revenue Assistants (RA) of the district to facilitate instant communication in case of emergencies and crisis. With the key communication system going out of order, the District Administration should wake up to get the system repaired or to make alternative arrangement for speedy and easy communication.

Mayor, MCC team inspect Kabini water supply unit in Bidaragodu

Mysuru, May 25- A team from the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC), led by Mayor M.J. Ravikumar and MCC Commissioner G. Jagadeesha, visited the Kabini water supply unit at Bidaragodu, located on the banks of Kapila River yesterday and inspected the jackwells.

Speaking after inspecting the unit, the Mayor said that they have requested the MUDA authorities to prepare a Detailed Project Report (DPR) for setting up additional machines at the unit and added that the authorities have agreed to prepare the plan within 15 days.

After getting approval from the Government, tenders would be called for installation of additional machines, he said and added that the three machines and the additional machines in the second phase would increase the pumping to 120 MLD from the existing 60 MLD which would solve the drinking water crisis in areas coming under the MCC.

The Mayor and the MCC Commissioner were accompanied by MCC Town Planning Standing Committee Chairman Nandish Preetham and Corporators Shivakumar, Sameena, Tasleem, Anusuya and Kempanna and VVWW Executive Engineer Kariyappa.

Snake Shyam captures

Trinket snake, releases into forest

Mysuru, May 25 (KS)- City's well-known snake rescuer and wildlife conservationist, Snake Shyam, caught a Trinket Snake at a house in Manti village in the outskirts of city here yesterday.

The snake, which was first seen near the sump of the house, entered into the sump as soon as people began to crowd the place. The residents soon informed Snake Shyam, who reached the place and caught the snake. He then educated the people about this snake and later released it into the forest.

About the snake: A terrestrial snake, trinket snake (Coelognathus helena) is a non-venomous constrictor species usually found in termite mound, and also on low heights old trees, wood piles, around old houses, dense vegetation etc. It usually feeds on rodents, small mammals and lizards.

Trinket can be identified by its slender body, having alternate brown and whitish brown striped pattern. Patterns have highest contrast near the head and fades towards the tail region. Neck region has two black streaks on the upper and two just above the ventral scales followed by the patterns.

Diurnal and highly active, Trinket is noted for its temper and will strike repeatedly if disturbed or handled badly. The males of this species are generally more aggressive than the females. Its bites are often very painful due to its inward pointing teeth.

'Approach Lok Adalat'

District Consumer Information Centre advises housing beneficiaries

Mysuru, May 25 (RKB&DM)- The District Consumer Information Centre has advised the beneficiaries of Rajiv Gandhi Rural Housing Scheme, who have been denied civic amenities by the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) to approach the permanent Lok Adalat Court here for getting justice.

Addressing a press meet here yesterday, the Centre President H.R. Sundareshan said that the beneficiaries of the scheme were selected and allotted Ashraya houses after consulting people representatives. But the authorities had failed to provide basic amenities such as drinking water, drainage, roads, power, etc., even after more than 10 years of allotment.

Alleging that the authorities were taking advantage of the lack of unity among allottees, Sundareshan said that the beneficiaries of Ashraya houses who have been denied civic amenities, contacted the Centre seeking help for getting back the money, which they had paid for the houses.

The Centre, in turn, has advised the beneficiaries to lodge a complaint with the permanent Lok Adalat, for which the beneficiaries need not have to pay any fee. Also, both the parties are bound by the verdict of the Lok Adalat, he said.

For details, call 92439-99713.

The Centre office-bearers G.L. Nagaraj Urs, M.N. Sooryanarayan, M.K. Raju, B. Geetha were present at the press meet.

WORD OF THE DAY

Corybantic

Pronunciation: kawr-uh-ban-tik, kor-
Meaning: Frenzied; agitated; unrestrained.
Origin: Corybantic derives from Corybant, the name for an ancient Phrygian priest of Cybele or any of the spirits or secondary divinities attending Cybele with wild music and dancing. It entered English in the mid-1600s.

THE ODD WORD

Otalgia

Earache

PHRASE OF THE DAY

To a T

Meaning: Exactly; properly; precisely.

Origin: The phrase derives from the sports of golf or curling, which have a tee as the starting or ending point respectively. The curling usage would seem to match the meaning better as the tee is the precise centre of the circle in which players aim to stop their stones. However, neither sport is referred to in any of the early citations of the phrase and there's really no evidence to support either derivation apart from use of the word 'tee'. The 'to a tee' version isn't recorded at all until 1771 when J. Giles used it in his Poems: "I'll tell you where You may be suited to a tee." John Jamieson, in the etymological dictionary Jamieson's Dictionary of the Scottish Language, 1867, records 'to a tee' as 'to a tittle'. If even a 19th century Scots lexicographer doesn't support the Scottish sports origins they would seem to lack credibility. Given Wright's earliest 'to a T' usage and the lack of evidence to support the 'tee' or 'tea' versions, it is safe to state that the proper spelling is 'to a T'. So, what T was meant? Again, there are alternatives; 'T-shirt', or 'T-square', or some abbreviation of a word starting with T. So, what of the alternative theories?
'T-shirt', a name of American origin referring to the shape of the garment in question. At first sight, this may be an appealing explanation. The phrase is often extended as 'fits to a T/tee/tea' and t-shirts, notably on the bulky frame of Bruce Willis, are certainly close fitting. Sadly, 't-shirts' are a 20th century invention so, as far as this explanation is concerned, are more than 200 years too late and can't be taken as a serious contender.

QUOTE BOX

In order to be happy oneself it is necessary to make at least one other person happy. **—Theodor Reik**

RIDDLE THIS

What English word has three consecutive double letters?

Answer: Bookkeeper.

SUDOKU

				7	1		11	6			
		9	3				7				
	6							4		12	3
			9	8				3	5		1
11	12	6					9		1	10	
		2			10	4					
					8	10			12		
	10	3		5					4	2	7
3		10	5				4	2			
4	7		1							3	
				2				1	11		
			4	3		8	10				

Answer to previous puzzle

4	2	7	8	1	9	5	6	3
3	1	8	5	7	6	2	4	9
5	6	9	4	3	2	7	1	8
2	4	3	6	5	8	9	7	1
8	5	1	3	9	7	6	2	4
9	7	6	1	2	4	8	3	5
6	3	2	9	4	5	1	8	7
7	9	4	2	8	1	3	5	6
1	8	5	7	6	3	4	9	2

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 There's no difficulty taking this
5 ___ Safin: Russian tennis star
10 German coin
13 Greek letter
14 Heart - ___ : very distressing?
15 ___ cup: Golf trophy
16 Rudeness
18 Mode Select Unit
19 Pay court to
20 ___ mater : school or college in which one studied?
24 Required Time of Arrival
27 Venetian boat
29 They are not serious in love?
32 Abduct, seize or carry away
33 Tropical fruits
35 T.S. Eliot's initials
36 Deficient in vitality; sluggish
37 Herbert __ : actor famous for his role of inspector in Peter Sellers' Pink Panther series?
39 To cry bitterly
42 It is used by an astronomer to view distant celestial bodies?
45 J&K's ___ Mohd. Sayeed
49 One who imagines things
50 Spanish seaport
51 Component, constituent or ingredient?
52 Javier __ de Cuellar: Secretary General of the U.N. in 1946-47?
53 Communists, colloquially speaking

DOWN

1 "Done" anagram for a prefix?
2 Mr. Kapoor of "Beta" fame
3 Tendon
4 Drink made of eggs, milk and sugar
5 Extra, in addition to
6 Ms Adams of Hollywood
7 ___ Fort : Delhi landmark?
8 Oldness; decline, in a way?
9 A sticky black liquid
10 Stiffly formal
11 Low-lying districts
12 Guaranteeing, safeguarding
17 Prepare the food
20 Makes a total of, sums up
21 Are you ____ tonight: Elvis Presley hit
22 Elected rep.
23 ___ Ki Khatir : "Just for you" in Hindi or Urdu?
25 Serving plate
26 Aeronautical Telecommunications Network
28 Louse or other parasite, its eggs
29 Fly-by-light
30 Thai language - "Ola" anagram?
31 You might buy things cheaper in this
34 Soft alloy used to cement metals
38 A type of blackbird
40 Unfastened
41 Albert's pet name
42 State of agitation
43 Part from a plant in which a new plant will grow
44 Projecting parts of wheels etc. in machinery
45 Mode Control Panel
46 Abu Dhabi's fed.
47 USA's longest serving President in short
48 Fasten or bind; neckwear?

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER:

		B	E	D			A	S	S		
	T	O	T	E	M		N	T	I	N	I
C	A	R	U	S	O		N	O	T	O	N
M	O	N	I	S	H		A	W	A	R	D	S
U	S	E		E	A	G	L	E		W	I	I
			T	R	I	O			G	A	R	B
	S	H	A	T	R	U	N	J	A	Y	A	
S	K	E	W			D	O	E	S			
A	I	R		S	P	A	T	S		R	E	S
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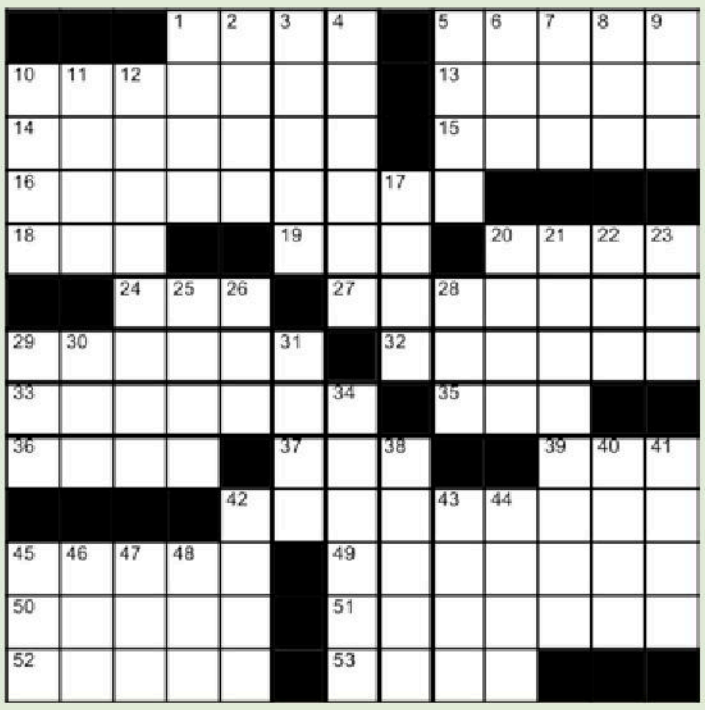


CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

XR CWJ KVHXVMV PIV FWBPWQE, GWPIXGA XE NIWHVEWZV; XR CWJ KVHXVMV PIV PIVWHWAXUGE, GWPIXGA XE XGGWBVGP; XR CWJ KVHXVMV PIV ZXHXPUQC, GWPIXGA XE EURV

TODAY'S CLUE: A EQUALS G

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: A door is what a dog is perpetually on the wrong side of.

NOW SHOWING

Movie	Theatre	Phone	Shows
KANNADA			
Bangara S/o Bangarada Manushya			
	Prabha	2423569	4 Shows
	Lakshmi	2443584	4 Shows
	Olympia	2420737	2 Shows
Maasthi Gudi	Woodlands	2422871	4 Shows
	Shanthala	2427584	4 Shows
	Thibbadevi	2452958	4 Shows
Raajakumara	Gayathri	2443568	4 Shows
	Lido	2420885	4 Shows
	Saraswathi	2541451	4 Shows
Karali	Olympia	2420737	2 Shows
Shavada Munde	Skyline	2481170	4 Shows
Kirik Party	Mahadeshwara	9900820093	4 Shows
Chakravarthy	Sri Maruthi	9980351129	4 Shows
TELUGU			
Baahubali 2	Padma	2521923	4 Shows
	Sterling	2481170	4 Shows
	Sangam	2520494	4 Shows
HINDI			
Baahubali 2	Sri Nagaraj	2520490	4 Shows
Half Girlfriend	Balaji Deluxe	2497199	4 Shows
Love Hunters	Uma	2520009	4 Shows
TAMIL			
Sangili Bungili Kadhava Thorae			
	Rajkamal	2423554	4 Shows

DRC CINEMAS — PH: 4240422, 4241800

Half Girlfriend (H)	(S-1)	10.50 am, 1.25 pm, 9.50 pm
	(S-2)	7.15 pm; (S-3) 1.15 pm
Bangara S/o Bangarada Manushya (K)		
	(S-1)	7.10 pm
	(S-3)	10.40 am, 1.20 pm
Sangili Bungili Kadhava Thorae (Ta)		(S-2) 1.30 pm
Hindi Medium (H)	(S-2)	4.20 pm; (S-3) 9.55 pm
Keshava (Te)	(S-2)	9.55 pm
Raajakumara (K)	(S-3)	3.55 pm
Baahubali (H)	(S-1)	4.00 pm; (S-2) 10.20 am
	(S-3)	6.45 pm
Baahubali (Te)	(S-4)	12.15 pm, 3.30 pm
		6.45 pm, 9.55 pm

INOX LIVE THE MOVIE — PH: 2533444 / 2533456

Bangara S/o Bangarada Manushya (K)		
	(S-3)	10.15 am, 1.05 pm, 6.40 pm
	(S-2)	3.50 pm, 9.55 pm
Baahubali (Te)	(S-1)	10.15 am, 3.55 pm, 7.10 pm
Baahubali (H)	(S-2)	12.35 pm, 6.35 pm
Half Girlfriend (H)	(S-1)	1.15 pm, 7.10 pm
	(S-2)	9.55 am
	(S-4)	4.15 pm, 9.50 pm
Hindi Medium (H)	(S-3)	3.55 pm, 9.30 pm
Raajakumara (K)	(S-4)	10.45 am
Keshava (Te)	(S-4)	1.45 pm
Sangili Bungili Kadhava Thorae (Ta)		
	(S-4)	7.00 pm

Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

AIR ON FRIDAY

6.00 am Patriotic Songs, 6.10 Geetaradhana, 6.30 Chinthana, 6.45 Gandhi Smruthi, 6.50 Sponsored Prog., 7.15 Bhavageete, 8.30 Radio Doctor, 8.35 Haadiyalli Kanda Mukha, 9.15 Namma Arogya, 10.00 Vocal Recital, 10.30 Hindi Film Songs, 11.00 Kamanabillu, 12.30 Mahila Ranga, 1.00 pm Devaranama, 1.20 Bhavageete, 1.30 Madhyanada Madhurya, 2.15 Hindi Film Songs, 2.35 Chinnara Chukki, 4.00 Flute Recital, 5.00 Gaana, 6.50 Krishi Ranga, 8.00 Reshme Siri, 9.30 Hindustani Music, 10.30 Savinenapu.

TV TONIGHT

7:00 pm Sethji	7:00 pm Saathiya	5:30 pm Kapil Sharma Show
7:30 Aisi Deewangi...	7:30 Ye Hai Mohabbatein	7:00 Yeh Moh Ke Dhaage
8:00 Zindagi Ki Mahek	8:00 PardesMeinHaiMeraDil	7:30 Peshwa Bajirao
8:30 Piya Albela	8:30 Chandra Nandni	8:00 Mahabali Hanumaan
9:00 Kumkum Bhagya	9:00 Naamkarann	8:30 Jaat Ki Jugni
9:30 Ek Tha Raja Ek Thi Rani	9:30 Yeh Rishta Kya Kehlata Hai	9:00 Beyhadh
10:00 Woh Apna Sa	10:00 Ishqbaaaz	9:30 Kuch Rang Pyar Ke Aise Bhi
5:00 pm Food Factory	5:30 pm ICC Cricket 360	5:00 pm World's Most Extreme
6:00 Man Vs. Wild	6:00 Knight Club 2017	6:00 Science of Stupid
7:00 You Have Been Warned	7:00 Ashwin 82	6:30 Do or Die : Killer Tsunami
7:30 Untamed & Uncut	7:30 Best Of ICC Champions Trophy	7:00 Africa's Deadliest
8:00 River Monsters	8:00 Who Are Your Champions 2017	8:00 Street Genius
9:00 Man Vs Tribe	9:00 Game Plan : ICC Champions	8:30 Big Picture With Kal Penn
10:00 Man Vs. Wild : China	9:30 South Africa Tour of England	9:00 Worst Weather Ever?
11:00 Naked and Afraid		
6:00 pm Larva	6:00 pm Keladi Kanmani	6:30 pm Jo Jo Laali
6:30 Roll No. 21	6:30 Ganga	7:00 Sarayoo
7:00 Kris aur Inky Pinky	7:30 Kula Deivam	7:30 Avalu
8:30 Roll No. 21	8:00 Deiva Magal	8:00 Aramane
9:00 Teen Titans Go	8:30 Vamsam	8:30 Nandini
9:30 Larva	9:00 Nandini	9:00 Jeevanadhi
10:00 Ben 10	9:30 Vani Rani	9:30 Movie

MOVIES TONIGHT

3:50 pm **The Croods**	4:15 pm **Terminator Genisys**	5:24 pm **Grown Ups 2**
5:56 **Amazing Spider-Man 2**	6:22 **13 Hours**	7:02 **Crazy, Stupid, Love**
9:00 **Terminator 3**	9:00 **Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles**	9:00 **The Last Samurai**
	11:07 **San Andreas**	11:28 **The Terminator**
3:25 pm **Aashiqui 2**	3:23 pm **Players**	4:35 pm **Razortooth**
6:20 **Super Khiladi 3**	6:43 **Loafer**	7:05 **Teleshopping**
8:55 **Jamai Raja**	9:00 **Tripura**	8:05 **Health Show**
11:58 **Hukumat Ki Jung**	11:50 **Roughs**	8:30 **Imaandaar**
4:36 pm **Never Back Down**	4:00 pm **Prem Kahani**	3:45 pm **Golmaal: Fun Unlimited**
6:38 **Thor 2**	7:00 **Raja Huli**	7:00 **Action Jackson**
9:00 **The Man with the Iron Fists**	10:00 **Govinda Gopala Hasige Iddastu Kaalu Chachu**	10:10 **Khiladiyon Ka Khiladi**

EVENTS TODAY (MAY 25)

Great Bombay Circus: World Circus Carnival by Indian, African, Chinese & Russian Artistes, Horse Park, behind Zoo, Nazarbad, **4 pm & 7 pm.**

Sri Raghavendraswamy Seva Samiti, Jayalakshmipuram: Discourse on 'Mahabharat' by Pt. Sri Vijayendrachar, Samiti premises, **5 pm to 6.30 pm.**

Sri Ramakrishna Ashrama: Swami Jnanayoganandaji speaks on 'Kathopanishad,' Ashrama premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**

Sri Avadhoota Datta Peetha: Diamond Jubilee and 75th birthday celebrations of Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji and 19th anniversary of Nada Mantapa, Performance by Royal Danish Ballet of Denmark, **6 pm.**

Sri Yoganarasimhaswamy Temple: Kumbhabhisheka Mahotsava of Sri Yoganarasimhaswamy and Srivari, Inauguration of cultural programmes and blessings by Prof. Bhasyam Swamiji. Devaranama by Sri Yoganarasimhaswamy Sahasranama Mandali, Mysuru, **6 pm to 7 pm;**

Amavasye, Abhisheka and Special Puja, **7 pm; Saxophone recital by Kalaimamani Padmashree Dr. Kadri Gopalnath** and party, Chennai, Sri Yoganarasimhaswamy Temple premises, Vijayanagar 1st Stage, **7.15 pm to 10 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (MAY 26)

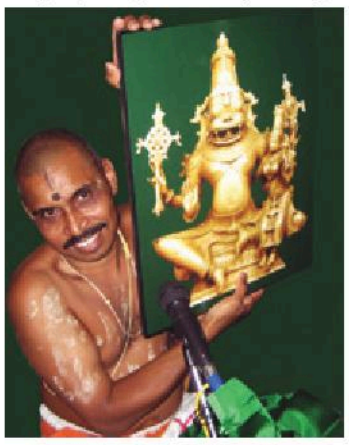
Sri Avadhoota Datta Peetha: Diamond Jubilee and 75th birthday celebrations of Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji and 19th anniversary of Nada Mantapa, Sri Chakra Puja, Mrutyunjaya and Ayushya Homa, **8 am;** Pratyaksha Pada Puja to Sri Ganapathy Swamiji and 75th Birthday Celebrations, **9 am;** Conferring of Datta Peetha Titles, **10 am;** Bhagavad Gita Rathotsava and Gita Parayana; Presenting New Guinness World Records to Sri Ganapathy Swamiji, **3 pm;** Karnatak

Vocal Concert by **Malladi Brothers — Vid. M. Sriramprasad and Vid. M. Ravikumar,** Ashrama premises, **6 pm.**

Indira Gandhi Rashtriya Manav Sangrahalaya (IGRMS), Southern Regional Centre (SRC): Display of 'Jal Bhag,' a Buddhist mask from Leh, Jammu and Kashmir, IGRMS premises, Irwin Road, **9.30 am to 6 pm.**

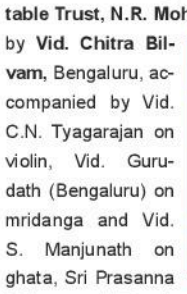
Great Bombay Circus: World Circus Carnival by Indian, African, Chinese & Russian Artistes, Horse Park, behind Zoo, Nazarbad, **1 pm, 4 pm & 7 pm.**

Sri Yoganarasimhaswamy Temple: Kumbhabhisheka Mahotsava of Sri Yoganarasimhaswamy and Srivari, Kumbhabhisheka, Sahasra Kalashabhisheka to Sri Yoganarasimhaswamy and Srivari; Soundarya Lahari Parayana by all Mahila Sanghas, **9 am;** Dasavani by **Vid. Mysore Ramachandrachar** and party, Bengaluru, Sri Yoganarasimhaswamy Temple premises, Vijayanagar 1st Stage, **6 pm.**

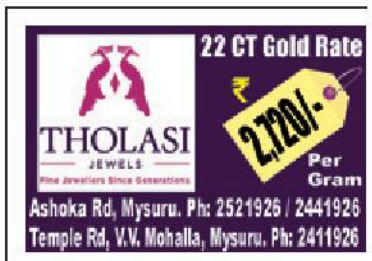


Ganabharathi: Music concert by **Vidu. Arundhathi Krishnan,** accompanied by Vidu. M.A. Jyothy on violin, Vid. Kumaraswamy on mridanga and Vid. V. S. Ramesh on morching, **6 pm to 7.30 pm;** Music concert by **Vid. S.R. Vinay,** Veene Seshanna Bhavan, Kuvempunagar, **7.30 pm to 9 pm.**

Rotary Club of Mysore West: Centenary birthday of its oldest member **Rtn. PHF PDG Col. B.M. Chengappa,** chief guest former Lokayukta Justice Santhosh Hegde felicitates Rtn. Chengappa, Hotel Quorum, **6.30 pm.**



N.R. Mohalla Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust, N.R. Mohalla: Vocal concert by **Vid. Chitra Bilvam,** Bengaluru, accompanied by Vid. C.N. Tyagarajan on violin, Vid. Gurudath (Bengaluru) on mridanga and Vid. S. Manjunath on ghata, Sri Prasanna Mahagapathi Temple, Shivaji Road, N.R. Mohalla, **6.30 pm.**



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